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7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
8 WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

9 DEAN SCOTT PURDIN,

10 Plaintiff,

11 v.

12 MICHAEL J. ASTRUE, Commissioner of
Social Security,

13 Defendant.
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Case No. C11-1266-TSZ-JPD

REPORT AND RECOMMENDATION


15 Plaintiff brought this action to seek judicial review of the denial of his application for
16 disability benefits by the Commissioner of the Social Security Administration. Dkt. 1. The
17 parties have stipulated that this case should be reversed and remanded for further administrative
18 proceedings pursuant to sentence four of 42 U.S.C. § 405(g). Dkt. 14.

19 Based on the stipulation of the parties, the Court recommends that this case be
20 REVERSED and REMANDED for further administrative proceedings. On remand, the
21 Administrative Law Judge (“ALJ”) shall further consider and specify the weight given to the
22 medical source opinions of record, including the opinions of Dr. Ruddell (AR at 263-67, 293-
23 297, 340-44, 391-95), Dr. Haney (AR at 275-78, 302-305), Dr. Zimmeroff (AR at 429-434), Dr.
24 Collins (AR at 270-74), and Dr. Johnson (AR at 211-14); the ALJ shall further evaluate the

1 credibility of plaintiff's subjective complaints; and the ALJ shall further evaluate plaintiff's
2 residual functional capacity. The ALJ shall also obtain medical expert evidence to determine
3 plaintiff's exact remaining capacities, and obtain supplemental vocational expert evidence.

4 A proposed order accompanies this Report and Recommendation.

5 DATED this 6th day of January, 2012.

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7 JAMES P. DONOHUE
8 United States Magistrate Judge
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